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fruition in Nebraska in order that we are able to accommodate evolving, as I said in my introduction, intrastate and regional commerce. One ought not have to avail themselves of national trademark protection and pay the fees involved if there's no near therefor. In this day and age, it's important to bring this service, this protection and this opportunity to our people at a more attainable level. With that, I would urge you to advance LB 626, as your Banking Committee did, and you again have my commitment that we will continue to work with this before it's brought on Select File, as you heard the Speaker say was procedurally possible. With that, I'd ask for your vote. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Brashear. Senator Brashear has waived closing. The question is the advancement of LB 626 to E & R Initial. Those in favor vote aye, those opposed nay. Mr. Clerk, please record.

CLERK: 34 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 626.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: LB 626 is advanced to E & R Initial. Mr. Clerk, items for the record?

CLERK: Mr. President, new resolutions. (Read LR 297-299 by title for the first time.) Amendments to LB 29 by Senator Chambers to be printed. And, Mr. President, new bills. (Read LB 1322-1366 by title for the first time.)

Mr. President, finally, Exec Board Referencing will meet upon adjournment in Room 2102 for referencing. And a series of adds: Senator Bruning, LB 1291; Senator Hartnett, LB 1291; Senator Dwite Pedersen, LB 969, LB 970; Senator Thompson, LB 1096; Senator Matzke, LB 1018; Senator Dierks, LB 302A; Senator Dwite Pedersen, LB 951. That's all that I had, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 330-341.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. (Visitors announced.) Senator Coordsen.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Thank you, Mr. President. I would move that we adjourn until 9:00 a.m. January 20th.